

BECOMING A HOYA

Supporting the Grade 8 to 9 Transition



Transition Events

November

- **Pathways to Success - November 24 to 26**
Each local TLDSB grade 8 class will spend a half day at HHS. Students will participate in interactive stations to learn more about TLDSB experiential programs (SHSM, OYAP and Take Tech) and grade 9 elective courses. Dates vary for each school (November 24th to the 26th).

January

- **HHS guidance team visits - January 6 to 9**
Guidance counsellors will visit all local Grade 8 classrooms to review the course selection process.
- **Course Selection Info Night - January 15**
An evening for students and their parents/guardians to learn about HHS course offerings and to tour the school.
- Course selections are due **January 23**.

June

- **Becoming a Hoya Day, 2nd week of June**
All new students attend HHS for a fun and interactive half-day to learn about life at HHS, clubs, teams and much more. Students receive their timetable and a thorough school tour. Specific date TBD.

September

- **First Day/Week:** students will be welcomed by their homeroom teachers and get a thorough orientation to HHS and learn "how school works". The HHS admin team will host a welcome assembly followed by a grade meeting.



Future Hoyas,

We are excited to welcome you to high school next year! We have planned a series of events to help you with the grade eight to nine transition during your graduating year. We know that for many students this transition can be challenging and we are hopeful these opportunities will make this transition rewarding! During this academic year you will get to know the HHS staff, building, course offerings and learn about which programs and extracurricular activities will be available to you at HHS. We will be working closely with you, your grade eight teachers, and your families to help you have a successful start as a Huntsville Hoya!

You've got choices!

Grade nine provides the perfect opportunity for students to take a variety of courses and explore their interests.

Drama

Food &
Nutrition

Visual Art

Music

Phys. Ed.

Fitness

Business
Tech

Exploring
Tech

Make the most of your high school career...

Explore your interests, become a specialist and get a head start on your future! Learn more about experiential learning programs offered at TLDSB high schools. www.tldsb.ca/programs/



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